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# LEE'S REPORT AGAINST SPAIN

It is Said That the General Severely Criticizes the Spaniards.

FOR THEIR BLOODY WORK In the War Against the Cuban Insurgents.

NEWSPAPERS HITTING MCKINLEY HARD LICKS

Credman Says He Is Incompetent as an Executive Officer—What Vest Said to Whitney, Etc.

Washington, June 22.—(Special.)—General Fitzhugh Lee, the new consul general at Havana, has made his first report to the president, in which he severely criticizes the conduct of Spain in the war now in progress.

It is just possible that General Lee's words from Cuba may move the president to action.

Just before he left for Cuba General Lee told the story of his appointment to a personal friend here:

"I was surprised," said he, "to receive a telegram from Longworth one day from Mr. McKinley saying that the president wanted to see me at once. I replied I would leave for Washington on the first train and see him that evening. Though late when I reached Washington I telephoned to the white house and was told to come up at six o'clock. I went and found the president at his desk.

"Without formally he said, 'General, can you go to Cuba?'

"But," said he, "can you go as consul general? I want you to go there and report to me the true condition of affairs. I have been unable to get at the truth."

"I replied that I should require time to consult with my friends and arrange my business matters."

"How long will it take you to give me a definite answer?" he replied.

"A week," I replied.

"Good evening," said he, arising. 'Don't delay longer than necessary.'"

"I arranged my matters and am going. My instructions are to get at the true situation and report to you, and that is what I propose to do."

Those who know General Lee believe that he will get at the truth of the situation and will report it as it is. From that part of his report which has leaked out it is already evident that the Spanish side of the affair will be shown up in a very bad light.

General Lee's report, coupled with the plan of the republican platform and a similar plank sure to be adopted in the democratic platform, will possibly arouse Spain to a fever of warlike excitement against the United States.

The Madrid correspondent, "in already calling that the St. Louis Cuban plank has aroused excitement in Madrid and it is believed there that the date of a conflict with the United States is almost fixed. The government has just bought two new iron clads and two torpedo boat destroyers, and as one correspondent says, "in responding to the sentiment, and trusting probably to the help of other powers, it seems resolved to resist American impositions when the time comes."

Between now and the November election we may be enveloped in a war with Spain. There can be but one result of such a war, we all know. An interesting question for speculation, however, is the result of such upon our national election. Only congress can declare war. If congress was called together for that purpose, which party would popularize itself most? Under ordinary circumstances it would mean the re-election of the existing administration; but three weeks hence that will be impossible.

Criticizing McKinley.

Speaking of politics the newspapers are firing a broadside into McKinley as incompetent as an executive officer.

Credman, of The New York World, who was clumping with McKinley down at the Atlanta exposition, characterizes him as incompetent as an executive officer, and he almost bankrupted the state of Ohio when governor, allowed the treasury to be robbed and pillaged, was Hanna's tool when he was lobbying at Columbus against street railroad taxation and will be no more for less than the tool of Hanna and others who paid off his \$100,000 of debt two years ago. If he reaches the white house, Credman shows the Ohio candidate up in a very bad light; indeed, so bad, that the article appears to have personal malice in it.

Whitney's report is also reproducing interviews of Senator McKinley in which he declared Hanna was squeezing subscriptions out of protected manufacturers to promote McKinley's candidacy, and declaring the methods of McKinley were disgraceful to the republican party.

McKinley undoubtedly is seriously handicapped in his contest for the presidency. Even his most enthusiastic friends are apprehensive of results.

Governor J. M. Campbell, of Ohio, who was here yesterday, said:

"I have just arrived from New York, and without exception every republican I saw there felt apprehensive of the result in November. Teller and his friends will take thousands of republicans with them; there are other thousands who do not concur with Governor McKinley on his tariff and work on the tariff."

It does not intend that other thousands who do not concur with Governor McKinley on his tariff and work on the tariff."

Enough of Mark at the convention to last him the rest of his natural life. McKinley, nominated under the circumstances and men of that type, is not a strong candidate, although he is a very amiable gentleman.

After this Campbell went on to talk about the Chicago convention adopting a silver platform, but not to put it so forcibly as to drive off the democrats of the east.

Campbell wants a straddle platform, and he is playing his best efforts to make himself the candidate on such.

Whitney Regrets His Decision.

By the way, Whitney begins to realize that he has undertaken a tremendous job. He ran upon Senator Vest in New York

## A GREAT DAY FOR FREE COINAGE

Many Delegates Will Be Elected to Chicago Today.

AND THEY WON'T BE GOLD MEN

Illinois, Indiana, Texas, Ohio and Other States

Will Add Their Voices to the Majority

Altgeld Has Absolute Control at Peoria—Indiana and Ohio Will Go Like Texas.

Peoria, Ill., June 22.—Save in the matter of political complexion, the democratic state convention tomorrow will be a reproduction on a miniature scale of the gathering of the republican hosts at St. Louis. The silver force, which was in control as was that of gold standardists there, and Governor Altgeld is the Mark Hanna of the occasion. He will designate the delegates to Chicago, draft the platform, indicate his preferences for nomination, and the state ticket, and whatever he says and does will be accepted without murmurings.

Everything is so thoroughly cut and dried that Secretary of State Hinrichsen said this morning that the entire business would be gone through with within two hours instead of two days as originally contemplated.

As for the "sound money" minority it will content itself with a protest against the silver plank, but according to the present programme there will be no bolt. Leading democrats, of whom Postmaster Fleming of Chicago is the most conspicuous, are flocking in today from all over the state to look over the field, but they are without weight or influence, save in exhorting the minority to keep a stiff upper lip and not permit the Altgeld programme to go by default.

Boies's Advance Guard.

The advance guard of the Boies boom put in an appearance early this morning in the person of Editor Samuel E. Brewster, of Creston, Iowa, and a Boies delegate to Chicago. He will be joined by Secretary Walsh and other Hawkeye State democrats. It did not seem as if the Brewster very long, however, to reach the conclusion that there was no earthly hope for his candidate receiving the endorsement of the convention in the event of his delivery. He told that while the leaders of the Illinois machine had nothing against Boies, yet it was not in the programme to give over a quarter of the vote to any one candidate. The entire Illinois delegation, so Mr. Brewster was notified, would go to Chicago prepared to take advantage of any opportunity and would follow the finger of Governor Altgeld with as much fidelity as was manifested by the Colorado delegation last week at the Chicago convention.

At the same time he was assured that there was nothing in the state sent out from here last night. The Altgeld brigades had settled upon Governor Stone, of Missouri, as the presidential candidate to be championed by the Illinois delegation.

This story, as explained to the Southern Associated Press this morning, grew out of a letter received last night by Governor Altgeld from the Illinois delegation in which the latter urged the endorsement of Mr. Boies by the convention. To this the reply was returned that the endorsement of a federal ticket to that city, it was declared to be untrue.

The silverites are now on the ground, and they are coming with a rush, and the accession to the ranks of the assemblyman O'Donnell, of Bloomington. Up to a week ago he was counted with the gold money advocates, but he was converted this morning that governed by the sentiment in his district and in which he is a power, no other course was open to him but to get alongside the silver.

Perhaps the most significant feature of the gathering of the democratic clans for tomorrow is the presence of the silver men. It is a result of the endorsement of Senator Teller as a presidential candidate, which was made at the national convention at Chicago.

Not for Teller.

During the day Secretary of State Hinrichsen was visited by a large number of delegates in sympathy with the Colorado senator, who argued with more or less vigor and earnestness that a combination of the national silver democrats with the silver republicans would certainly result in the triumph of the white metal in November. Hinrichsen, however, contended that any attempt toward the endorsement of the republican ticket in Chicago would result in a bolt of the gold standardists; that in this turn would hold a convention of their own and nominate a ticket which would be heralded as that of the sincere democracy and that such a ticket would receive the support of the strongest democratic agricultural element, to which the silver champion looks largely for support.

Let us nominate a silver democrat at Chicago," was Mr. Hinrichsen's argument again and again, and he repeated, "If the silver republicans would come to us, well and good; if not, let them nominate their own ticket and carry their own state. We will do the same and silver will fare just as well in the electoral college."

Bland's Face Shown.

Lithographs of Bland, of Missouri, were displayed in the hotels this evening, but if he had any sponsors they failed to put themselves in evidence. Congressman Morrison's name was not mentioned.

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## A NEW RICHMOND IN THE FIELD

John T. Duncan at the Last Moment Announces for Senator

AGAINST GOVERNOR EVANS

A Day of Surprises in South Carolina Politics.

OPENING OF THE CAMPAIGN AT MANNING

Evans Answers Charges Against Him. Duncan Attacks Evans's Record. Whitman Speaks.

Kingstree, S. C., June 22.—(Special.)—The South Carolina campaign opened at Manning today and there were two sensations. Besides Governor Evans's statement of the bond transaction, several dark horses that had been secretly groomed for the senatorial race, were on the ground, but halted at the pole and refused to budge.

It was expected that Congressman McLaurin, Judge Joseph H. Earl and S. J. Mayfield would make the race with Governor Evans, but during the day Mr. McLaurin decided to accept the certainty of returning to congress. Mr. Mayfield was not heard from and Judge Earl, after filing his pledge this afternoon, had it withdrawn by wire. W. D. Evans, who had filed a pledge, decided not to run, and it seemed as if Governor Evans was the only starter. He made his speech, read his reply to charges of corruption in the bond matter and retired, and the meeting was about to close when Mr. John T. Duncan, a young man, stanch reformer and member of the legislature from Newberry, tapped the chairman on the shoulder and announced that he had complied with all the requirements and was a candidate for the senate. He then proceeded to vigorous attack Governor Evans in the bond matter and his record as governor.

The meeting was opened with speeches by the candidates for minor state offices. In five cases for treasurer, secretary of state, comptroller of state, attorney general and railroad commissioner—there was no opposition to the incumbents. All of the candidates were reformers and all fights are strictly in that faction.

Whitman's Speech.

G. W. Whitman, one of the three in the gubernatorial race, made an attack on "cap-suckers" and "coat-tail swingers." He created a stir by attacking Senator Tillman's record while governor on several questions; charged extravagance in public affairs, opposed all state institutions of higher education and declared that Tillman's allegorical cow cartoon should have been over this state with its under the state house, being milked by pap-suckers with tubes to the colleges, another to Broken Rhinoceros in Augusta, and two underground to parts unknown.

He interrogated Governor Evans on several points and stated his platform as against the dispensary, for free schools, fair elections and equal rights of all white men.

W. H. Ellerbe and John R. Harrison, the other candidates for governor, made moderate speeches favoring better free schools and generally supporting the colleges. Congressman John L. McLaurin was the first man to receive an ovation. He devoted little time to national politics, but declared Sibley was his man for president. He regretted that there was so little opposition to candidates in this campaign; it reminded him of the charge Tillman had made of official rottenness against the state. He looked as if things were cut and dried, but he had faith in the people, and the only salvation for reform and the state was for them to spew out unworthy men.

Evans Answers Charges.

Governor Evans was the next speaker, and was heartily cheered. He devoted his whole speech to answering charges in the bond case. He made this statement, he said, because the people had the right to know. Did he look any fatter, did he look as if he had stolen \$40,000? Did Tillman look as if he had stolen \$40,000? It was because he was so poor that he could not be elected president, but they were pushing him anyhow.

Governor Evans began the portion of his speech bearing upon the bond business with a reference to the fact that he had been charged with having stolen \$40,000. He introduced any of them and had them passed through the legislature as the counsel of Mr. Rhind. The last act was prepared by the syndicate which purchased the bonds. He jumped upon the newspapers that had made "dastardly attempts" to prevent the floating of the bonds of Governor Tillman, and stated that he suggested the employment of Rhind, whom he knew to be a reliable and honest man.

He said, "Mr. Rhind had a contract with the bond syndicate whereby he was to be paid 14 per cent as commission for his labors. After the bonds had been paid for and Rhind's commission was due some members of the syndicate thought Rhind was getting too much under his contract with them and refused to allow the commission paid. I was employed by Mr. Rhind to proceed to Baltimore to take legal steps to collect the commission. I did so and associated with me Major R. M. Venable. The case has been tried in the lower court and a judgment has been rendered in favor of Mr. Rhind. An appeal has been taken and will not be heard for several months. As stated by Mr. Rhind in his testimony, the amount of my fee has not yet been agreed upon. When it is decided, however, I will retire from the management of the case and turn it over to Major Venable and Mr. Baetger, and they have examined me as a witness. My testimony, as well as Governor Tillman's, is a matter of record in the court, and I have it here for your inspection. I have never concealed anything as to my connection with this matter and shall not attempt to do so. I, as governor of South Carolina, cannot afford to notice every anonymous scribbler in newspapers, nor every cowardly cur that barks at me, but as a candidate for the senate, however, I deem it just to you as well as to myself to give you the facts of this matter."

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## INDIANA DEMOCRATS Will Today Declare for Free Coinage.

The Delegates.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 22.—It is practically settled that the Indiana democratic convention opens with the district meetings tomorrow night will declare for the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1.

Governor Matthews will be named as the choice of the Indiana democrats for president and should any opposition develop the delegates will be expected to deliver delegates at large will be Senator D. W. Voorhees, of Terre Haute. Senator David Turpie, of Indianapolis; B. F. Shively, of South Bend, and J. G. Shanklin, of Evansville.

Some of the governor will be expected to deliver the platform. The platform has been prepared by Governor Matthews and was tonight submitted to Senator Turpie, Allen W. Clark, chairman of the silver executive committee, and others. In addition to the silver plank it declares for purely reforming tariff and the election of senators by popular vote and contains a strong resolution favoring Cuban independence. The gold delegates who control the seventh district have decided to send W. E. English and John P. Frenzel as delegates to Chicago and to put ex-Congressman Bynum on the resolutions committee.

WISCONSIN DEMOCRATS.

The State Convention Will Meet in Milwaukee Today.

Milwaukee, Wis., June 22.—The Wisconsin democratic convention will assemble at the Bijou theater tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. The silver forces of the state are expected to win a victory. It was heard from them in the preliminary skirmishes about ten days ago alarmed the gold men and only tended to spur them on to more vigorous efforts.

Every "sound money" man in the state was called upon to make a special effort to secure the election of gold delegates, and the result was a victory for the silver forces which were thought to be bimetallic the gold men were successful. There were 500 delegates at the convention, or one for every 500 votes cast for Cleveland in 1882.

A careful estimate, prepared this morning, shows that there will be, as far as heard from, 149 gold men, eighty-seven silver men and sixty-two doubtful.

Fawley, of Eau Claire, a "sound money" man, will be temporary chairman.

LONE STAR DEMOCRATS.

The State Convention Will Send Free Coinage Delegates to Chicago.

Austin, Tex., June 22.—The congressional democratic convention here today renominated a resolution was passed favoring the free coinage of silver at 16 to 1. The state democratic convention meets tomorrow and will undoubtedly be dominated by the free silver men. The state convention of the gold money democrats also meets tomorrow, and will probably send a contesting delegation to Chicago.

WHITNEY GIVES IT UP.

He Admits That Two-Thirds of the Convention Will Be for Silver.

New York, June 22.—William C. Whitney was seen today before he left Albany to attend a conference of democratic leaders. He said:

"The report that I said that the eastern democrats were not going to support the silver plank was untrue. I devoted my whole speech to answering charges in the bond case. He made this statement, he said, because the people had the right to know. Did he look any fatter, did he look as if he had stolen \$40,000? Did Tillman look as if he had stolen \$40,000? It was because he was so poor that he could not be elected president, but they were pushing him anyhow."

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## TELLER SAYS HE DOESN'T WANT IT

He Does Not Indorse the Talk of His Candidacy.

AS TO DEMOCRACY'S CHANCE

A Strong Silver Man Will Get the Western Votes.

WHAT WILL THE POPULISTS DO?

There is a Good Deal of Speculation on This Point—All Eyes Are Now Directed Toward Chicago.

St. Louis, Mo., June 22.—(Special.)—Senator Teller has declared that he neither expects nor desires to receive the democratic nomination for the presidency.

In fact, he declared that he does not aspire to the office, and does not consider seriously the talk of some of the silver men of presenting him as a candidate.

He says that the democrats have it in their power to name one of their number as a Chicago who will get the hearty support of the silver states.

Senator Teller has gone to spend some days with his aged mother, who lives in Illinois. Before he left he talked freely with a prominent politician, who has given the substance of that interview to the public.

"The senator was very positive in his utterances," said that gentleman today. "He convinced me as being not only thoroughly in earnest, but most emphatic in his determination not to allow himself to be out of the way. He pointed out that the way for success is clear if the democrats put out a strong ticket on a bold free coinage platform at Chicago, and said the only result of any other silver candidate would be simply to weaken the cause for which all should labor. He suggested that either Boies or Bland would receive the solid support of the silver men of the west, and said he believed that there were other men in the democratic party who would receive this support. He says the silver men who left the republican party will wait until the Chicago convention acts and will govern themselves by what is done there; and he feels sure the right thing will be done there."

A good deal of interest is taken by politicians, and especially by the democrats, in the probable action of the populists. They may have it in their power to hurt the silver cause if they succeed in electing a free coinage candidate, and add in believing here that while the leaders of the populist party may hold out against the democratic ticket no matter what the platform or who the candidate, the great majority of voters will have voted with them will fall into line and will support the democratic nominee.

One source of great strength in the silver cause is found in the present tendency of all silver men to subordinate all other issues to that of the financial question. It is the opinion of political leaders that if they do this in earnest, they are sure to win.

CARR DECLINES THE HONOR

WHEN THE NOMINATION FOR GOVERNOR IS ASSURED.

In Defiance to His Wife and Business Associates He Withdraws His Name.

Raleigh, N. C., June 22.—(Special.)—Colonel James B. Carr, who is the race for governor, when he had the democratic nomination in his very hand. He came here tonight and had a two-hours' conference with State Chairman Poy and other prominent men, as the result of which he withdrew his name. The following, addressed to Chairman Poy:

"I regret that just on the eve of the convention, in obedience to the wish of my wife and in deference to the desires of my business associates, who are adverse to my entering politics, I am compelled to decline to allow my name to go before the democratic state convention for the nomination of governor. When the outlook for success was not so bright I could not bring myself to decline to lead what many regarded as a reform home. Now that conditions have changed and the party seems almost certain of success, I feel that I can ask my political friends to permit me to serve in the ranks and not as a leader. In thanking my friends for the confidence reposed in me and for the unsolicited support, which I shall ever gratefully remember, and profoundly appreciating the confidence reposed in me, I desire to add that in the coming contest no man in the state will endeavor to do more for the election of the democratic and republican tickets in proportion to his opportunities than myself."

BROWN HAS BEEN RELEASED.

The Georgian Who Was Arrested in London Discharged.

London, June 22.—William R. Brown, who was arrested in Liverpool last week as he was landing from steamer Auroras, was released from Bow street police court this morning and discharged, he having proved that the police had arrested the wrong man. Brown claimed to be director of a bank at Fort Valley, Ga.

Mr. Justice Vaughan, presiding at the Bow street police court, in ordering the release of Mr. Brown said that the mistake in arresting him had arisen with the New York and not with the English police. Mr. Brown, after being pronounced a free man, related his wife, who was in court awaiting the result of the hearing.

WALK FOR YOUR MAIL NOW.

Free Delivery of the Experimental Kind Stopped in Some Places.

Washington, June 22.—Postmaster General Wilson today issued an order discontinuing June 30th next experimental free delivery postal service in the following towns:

Virginia—Stevens City, National Soldiers' Home, Middletown, Suffolk, Woodstock, Georgia—Hephzibah.

Florida—Marianna.

Mississippi—Humboldt.

Tennessee—Cleveland.

Alabama—Fayette.

## A BIG FAILURE IN LOUISVILLE.

Louisville, Ky., June 22.—The St. Paul Dry Goods Company made an assignment to the Louisville Trust Company this afternoon. The assets are estimated at \$115,000 and the liabilities \$75,000.

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## THERE IS TROUBLE AT YALE COLLEGE

Caused by the Planting of a Little Sprig of Ivy  
TAKEN FROM LEE'S GRAVE

The Bitter Remarks of Dr. Twitchell

Yesterday

HAD NO EFFECT ON THE SENIOR CLASS

And the Ivy Was Planted—Federal Veterans Threatened to Tear It Up, but Students Protect It.

New Haven, Conn., June 22.—(Special.)—Rev. Dr. Joseph H. Twitchell, of Hartford, set Yale upside down this afternoon. He is a member of the Yale University Corporation and made the speech dedicating the Woolsey memorial statue. In it he took occasion to condemn forcefully the act of the senior class this year in selecting for the class ivy a spray from the grave of General Robert E. Lee.

Dr. Twitchell spoke in a reminiscent manner of his return from the army in 1865, when he stopped at Yale and met President Woolsey on College street. He told him of the terror with which he fled from the Yale men in the south. "He was a union man heart and soul," said Dr. Twitchell, "and it would make this bronze statue avert its head were he to know that the graduating class of Yale were to plant on the walls of a building on the campus an ivy from the grave of General Robert E. Lee."

A good man, but he was loyal to an infamous cause."

It was a surprise. This utterance of Dr. Twitchell came like a clap of thunder from a clear sky. It was the surprise of the commencement exercises this far. There was no demonstration till he had finished. Then the students immediately took the talk the through which surrounded the statue.

A number of professors declared the speech was very ill-advised. The members of the senior class especially regretted the utterance. One said:

"We were offered the ivy and accepted with the best of grace. It was offered with a spirit of reconciliation and accepted in the same spirit. Hundreds of southern men have come to Yale, especially before the war, and certainly the act of accepting the ivy was one taken by all parties concerned in the kindest spirit."

The members of the ivy committees assembled near the statue immediately at the close of the dedicatory exercises and were soon the center of an animated discussion. The proposition was made to change the ivy. Had the condemnatory words come from almost any other man they would not have received the same attention, but Rev. Mr. Twitchell holds a position of high authority.

Yale alumni second only to that of Chauncey M. Depew and his words were bound to have weight.

Rev. Dr. Newman Smythe said: "I was amazed when I read in the papers that the committee had selected this ivy. I think you will find that Mr. Twitchell voices the sentiment of all the older graduates."

There may be a riot. The ivy was planted this afternoon by the senior class. A number of old union soldiers, now here for their class reunion, threaten to tear it up. There are many prominent southern men in the senior class and they declare that they will protect the ivy.

The incident is one of the most sensational and disagreeable that has marked a Yale commencement in decades.

THE DESERTED CAMP. Departure of the Fifth Regiment from Camp Northern.

Griffin, Ga., June 22.—The soldiers broke camp this morning according to the orders published yesterday afternoon at dress parade. At 10 o'clock the big guns were hauled down, the guard details dismissed and the Fifth regiment, headed by the band, filed out of camp and into the waiting cars to begin their homeward journey.

Coming in, so at their going out, everything moved along with perfect smoothness and there was no hitch anywhere.

The First battalion left the city at 9 o'clock. The First battalion left the city at 9 o'clock. The First battalion left the city at 9 o'clock.

As soon as reveille was over the boys began their leave taking. One by one the other encampments parted, hoping to meet again at Camp Northern two years hence.

A great many people are not. There are many forms of sickness. There are many forms of sickness. There are many forms of sickness.

outside of the body may look all right long after disease has begun its dreadful work inside. If a man looks well and doesn't feel well, he had better be governed by the feeling not by the looks. A great many apparently strong and vigorous men collapse suddenly. They have what is known as nervous prostration. They go along looking well, day after day, working hard and thinking hard, apparently healthy, and some day they go home and go to bed and don't get up again. The trouble didn't all come at once. It came on gradually. A strong man can live on his nerves and not get any longer time without apparent injury, but it is a safe thing to do. Whenever there is nervousness, or insomnia, or undue fatigue from ordinary work, when irritability takes the place of contentment, when a man isn't sick but doesn't feel quite well, then is the time he should begin to take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is the best tonic medicine in the world. It invigorates the appetite, promotes digestion, increases the appetite, promotes digestion, increases the appetite.

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hence, while the new ones bid each other goodby with the wish of meeting and working together at some future encampment. All were pleased with their stay and there are none who do not hope to return when it is their turn again. They have worked and worked hard, too, but what they have learned more than compensate for the labor performed. True they have had some pleasures outside of camp life, but these have always been made subservient to their duties.

This year's encampment has been a most remarkable one when results are counted up. It will go down in the annals of the Georgia military as by far the most profitable yet.

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WOODWARD WILL BE NOMINATED From the Second District of North Carolina.

Raleigh, N. C., June 22.—(Special.)—The second district democratic congressional convention to be held at Raleigh for the nomination of F. A. Woodward, Six of the nine counties have decided for him.

The railway commission will tomorrow begin the work of assessing for taxation the seventy-six railroads in North Carolina.

J. Stewart, editor of the Salisbury Truth, died, a year ago he was stricken with paralysis.

It is proposed that each North Carolina veteran in the parade at Richmond July 23 shall be given a free ticket to the city.

A cane. Assurance are given that three thousand Carolina veterans will be there.

Senator Marion Butler wrote a long letter here today in which he declares pointedly that the populist party will not go either with the democrats or republicans.

He adds, however, that in the democratic party there are more honest men than in the populist party.

James H. Poy, chairman of the democratic state committee, arrived today to arrange for Thursday's state convention.

He says the platform will be adopted without any opposition will have an honest, earnest and straightforward platform.

He expects the committee to dispose of its business Thursday night by midnight, as the last day of the convention is Friday.

practically sure that only one convention will be held.

SUMNER'S SHRIEVALTY. One of the Candidates for Deputy on the McKarth Ticket Retires.

Americus, Ga., June 22.—(Special.)—The sheriff's race in Sumter took another unexpected turn today. In the beginning the two tickets were headed by Sheriff L. B. Funder and J. O. McArthur, the latter having Sheriff L. B. Forrest on his ticket as deputy.

After the race had progressed a few days, the property of J. P. Chapman, F. Daniel, who with five others, was run for tax collector, was announced for deputy on the McArthur ticket.

McArthur remained in the race only three days, and then he withdrew, leaving the ticket to the sheriff's race.

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## KILLED ON A TRAIN

A Drunken Negro Who Was About to Fire Upon Other Passengers

DROPPED IN HIS TRACKS

By a Shot from Some Unknown Person—Cause Near Being a Race Riot—Alabama News.

Anniston, Ala., June 22.—(Special.)—Last night, as an excursion from this city to Montgomery was returning, Mitch Johnson, a drunken negro, who had been employed at the Shelby iron works, was shot and almost instantly killed by an unknown party on the train near Verbena, Chilton county.

Another negro had stolen Johnson's hat, which made him very angry. He claimed that a white man was the thief and was preparing to shoot into a car of whites when he was killed.

The shooting came near causing a race riot two or three times before the train reached this city, but the whites were determined and well armed, and the negroes, who were in the majority, were also determined.

It is stated that many of them would be killed if they fired a shot. No arrests have been made.

BICYCLE RACES IN MONTGOMERY. Walhour, of Atlanta, Takes Two or Three Prizes.

Montgomery, Ala., June 22.—(Special.)—The L. A. W. race meeting opened here today, and every one in this audience of race riders are here and some splendid racing is being done.

The first race today, a one mile novelties, was won by W. P. Long, second, R. McAllister, third, all of Montgomery. Time 4:35.

The mile handicap, with twelve entries, was won by Walhour, of Atlanta, second, H. M. Lum, of Montgomery, second, Ben Repperman, of Montgomery, third, time 4:35.

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**Whitney as a Booger-Man.**  
 The organs of the money power are trying very hard to play Mr. William C. Whitney as a booger-man. To all intents and purposes they are saying to the democrats: "If you don't go for gold when you get to Chicago, the booger-man 'll catch you," and the booger-man is William C. Whitney, a man whose affability is almost voluptuous in its dimensions.

Now, for the life of us we cannot see how the gold organs and the subsidized editors can make a booger-man out of a man as amiable as Mr. Whitney. He is no doubt a tolerably shrewd political manager, but his powers in that direction have never been tested.  
 It is true that he was for Cleveland in 1892, and it is also true that Cleveland was nominated, but the influence of Mr. Whitney in bringing about that result has been greatly magnified by both Mr. Whitney and his friends. There was no combined opposition to Mr. Cleveland at Chicago in 1892. Many democrats who distrusted him, and whose distrust has been amply justified by results, were willing to support D. B. Hill, but all the political elements were in favor of Cleveland—the men who had held office under his first administration and who hoped to get another slice of patronage, many of the old war horses and the boys in the trenches were in favor of giving him a second term.

Coupled with this desire was the habit which the democratic states had of knocking to the demands of the republican states of the east, on the plea that New York, Connecticut and New Jersey were necessary to democratic success. Eastern public opinion was allowed to mold the action of the party, and Cleveland would have been renominated in 1892 if Mr. Whitney had at that time been engaged in watching a boat race on one of the alleged canals in the planet Mars.

Nevertheless, he has become notorious as a political schemer by reason of the supposition that he forced the nomination of Cleveland in 1892. For that reason, if for no other, we are glad to know that Mr. Whitney is going to Chicago next month with the avowed purpose of stampeding the delegates and forcing them to repudiate their pledges to the people.

When Mr. Whitney gets to Chicago, he will find all the conditions changed. He will find an overwhelming majority of the convention arrayed as solidly against all dodges, straddles and deceptive declarations as it is against the gold standard. He will find that the delegations of the states that are democratic on the silver question are no longer amenable to the suggestion that New York is necessary to democratic success.

More than this, when Mr. Whitney arrives in Chicago he will find himself opposed by men whose judgment and experience will enable them to play with him and his schemes as a cat does with a mouse. He will find all his plans anticipated and discounted before he can put them into execution. Amiable as he is personally he will find that his influence as a democrat is discredited by the fact that he goes to Chicago as the personal agent of Mr. Cleveland, a man who has brought the democratic party as near to death's door as any man ever did or ever will. Mr. Whitney will find himself so heavily handicapped at Chicago that he will be impelled to surrender his Cleveland agency and return to his home in New York.

Yet The Constitution is heartily glad that Mr. Whitney is going to Chicago as the agent of Rothschild, Belmont, Cleveland & Co. If he is really the booger-man to scare democrats into deserting their principles the honest voters of the country want to know it. If Mr. Whitney, who has never claimed to be anything but a human being, so far as we know, is powerful enough to take the democratic party by the tail of its breeches and hold it at arm's length out of the fifteenth story window of a Chicago caravansary until it promises to desert the people and support the gold standard, we want to see the feat performed.

The time has arrived when the supreme test must be made; the moment has come when the democratic party

must decide whether it shall stand by its principles or perish in disgrace. If Mr. Whitney and the agencies at his command are able to control the party at Chicago and force it to make a straddle on the financial question or declare for gold, then the time has arrived for the party to be hauled off to the boneyard or be left to rot where it dies.

For this and other reasons The Constitution welcomes the announcement that the affable Mr. Whitney is going to Chicago as the agent of Cleveland and the money power.

## Why This Republican Apathy?

Never in the history of American politics has there been such a dearth of enthusiasm as that of the recent republican convention in St. Louis.

Strange to say even the republican newspapers of the country have admitted this fact; and while some of them have tried to cover the matter over with smooth apologies, others, without going into any embarrassing details of explanation, have simply observed that the convention was not up to the usual standard.

This absence of enthusiasm is strikingly apparent in the oratory of the convention. As a rule this sort of oratory is cut and dried several weeks in advance; but there is always more or less enthusiasm developed during the progress of the session and it frequently happens that a speech which has been evolved as the result of cold, deliberate composition, acquires a fervor of delivery which could possibly come only from the inspiration of the moment.

Such a speech was the one delivered by Robert C. Ingersoll in 1870 on presenting the name of James G. Blaine. As the result of this speech Ingersoll stepped into the national arena as one of America's greatest public speakers. In like manner Roscoe Conkling, of New York, made a similar reputation in his speech nominating General Grant for a third term. Such was the marked enthusiasm begotten of the effort of General Garfield in nominating John Sherman, of Ohio, in 1880, that he himself was made the nominee of that convention and led the republican party to victory in the ensuing election.

But there was no such impressive eloquence as this in the convention which met in St. Louis last week. Those who expected to enjoy a feast of oratory were sadly disappointed. The speech of Chauncey M. Depew was merely a string of egotisms while that of the dashing and brilliant Forsaker was a mockery of the feelings which he secretly entertained for the man whose name he put in nomination. There was not a speech made in the convention which came up to the standard of real eloquence, while it even strains the use of the term to speak of them as fair samples of ordinary declamation.

The New York World pointedly observes that the eloquence of the St. Louis convention was not only dull and insipid but even below the standard of congressional speech making. In speaking of the recent oratorical display in St. Louis The World is further led to remark that the republican party can no longer boast of a Blaine or a Conkling. But the language of The Chicago Chronicle is still more severe. This western journal observes that "while none of the speeches were notable those of some of the lesser lights were grotesque even to the verge of the ridiculous."

With hardly a single exception the newspapers of the country unite in pronouncing the St. Louis convention a dismal failure in this respect at least, if in no other.  
 There is something intensely amusing in the explanation which The St. Louis Globe-Democrat offers for this unusual dearth of enthusiasm. The Globe-Democrat sagely observes that the absence of anything like uproar and excitement in the convention was due to the fact that the question of a nomination had already been settled in advance of the convention. This explanation can hardly be said to explain. Moreover, it is not even plausible. While it may account in some measure for the lack of that enthusiasm which is due to rivalry it offers no explanation whatever for the apathy which exists even at this time among the supporters of the republican nominee.

What is true of the convention will likewise be true of the campaign. There will be no enthusiasm, for the simple reason that defeat is certain.

## Democracy's Silver Tide.

Mr. William C. Whitney, with the assistance of J. Sterling Morton and a man named Michael Doran, has compiled a table in which he gives the strength of gold and silver at the Chicago convention. Mr. Whitney gives the gold standard 338 delegates, and silver 542. He gives the silver men eight delegates from New Hampshire, twenty from New Jersey and two from Maine. We had supposed that the gold standard men were successful in both New Hampshire and New Jersey, not because the democratic voters of these states are in favor of the gold standard, but because the machinery of the party in both states is absolutely in the hands of the agents of the money power. In New Jersey, where the democratic voters were known to be for the free coinage of silver, the delegates to the convention were appointed by the county committees, and the voters had no showing whatever.

To be perfectly fair, therefore, we should consider the eight delegates from New Hampshire and the twenty from New Jersey as solid for gold. This makes the total figures for gold 396. But from this total must be taken forty-six Ohio delegates, two Georgia delegates, four Florida delegates, and at least one from Delaware. Then, as the Nebraska gold delegates do not represent the organized democracy of that state, the silver delegates will surely be seated. There will also be contests from Michigan involving the seats of at least seventeen delegates, owing to the vicious methods employed by office holders. The silver delegates from South Dakota will also be seated, which will leave the goldites with 296 delegates, to be pitted against the 608 silver delegates.

It is no wonder that Mr. Whitney remarked to a friend that the administra-

tion had no right to ask him to take up the fight after it is lost. And yet, he is going to Chicago to try and stem the tide; and the New York newspapers say he is to be accompanied by a thousand or more "shouters" for the gold standard, the men to be employed by the money power for the occasion, and to be paid for using their lungs in behalf of gold in the streets and hotel corridors at Chicago.

If anything could make the silver democrats firmer in their convictions than they are now, it would be just such a display as the money power proposes to make at Chicago.

From first to last these schemers have faithfully played into the hands of the men who stand for the rights and interests of the people. It is not too much to say that providence has had a hand in the matter; that it prompted the building and wrecking policy of Cleveland, which has done more than anything else to open the eyes of the honest voters of the country; and that it prompted the organs of the money power to persistently develop the public mind in regard to the strength of the silver movement.

Meanwhile the silver movement has shown strength wherever the people have been given an opportunity to express their views. It is strong in Maine, in New Jersey, and in Maryland, and now comes the welcome news that it is strong in Delaware. One of the delegates from that state is sure to vote with the silver men, and there is every reason to believe that at least three of the five delegates will vote for free coinage. The state convention refused to endorse the gold standard, but knocked out the word "gold" and declared for "a sound monetary standard."

The people have won a great victory, and they will win another at the polls.

## Mr. Clews's Opinion.

It is amusing to see how solicitous the eastern republicans and the eastern mugwumps are about what the democratic party shall do on the silver question at Chicago. As a sample of their very great solicitude, we give the following from Henry Clews, which he sends out to the country as a postscript to his weekly statement:

June, 1896—I have heard nothing but praise, without distinction or party, for President Cleveland on account of his manly and wise handling of the silver question. I urge them not to commit any error, but the adoption of free silver coinage in their platform would be. There is but one opinion expressed among the silver men, and that is, that if the Chicago convention commits itself to the free coinage of silver here the democratic party will be doomed. I am sure that if a grave to bury themselves in. At any rate, they will put themselves in such an odious position in national politics as to compel them to party to face defeat through many presidential campaigns in the future.

Everybody who knows Mr. Clews knows that he is a "dred-in-the-wool" republican, that he never has had a kind thing to say about the democratic party or anybody connected with it, and is not admitted by any one, save republicans and cuckoos, to be a democrat. If he was sincere in his wishes to have the democratic party wiped out, he would not make the suggestion that he does. It is not the fear that the party will commit harl karl, as he terms it, but the fear that it will elect its president that makes him so urgent in his advice about what it ought to do.

Mr. Clews's opinions on the Chicago convention will have about as much weight as the devil would at a campaign. During the present week the International Sunday School Association meets in Boston, Mass.

Several thousand delegates will be in attendance and every branch of the Christian religion will be represented. There is not a more important religious organization in the United States than this faithful army of Sunday school workers.

The Sunday school is strictly a modern institution. Less than a hundred and sixteen years have passed since Robert Raikes opened the first school for religious instruction on the Sabbath in Gloucester, England.

Sixty years after the Sunday school was organized by Raikes the Young Men's Christian Association was founded in London. The development of these kindred institutions has been marvelous and there is scarcely an island of the sea on which the influence of one or the other is not felt and recognized.

At the present time there are no less than 12,286,000 attendants enrolled in the Sabbath schools of the United States.

Even those who do not profess religion must recognize the wholesome influence of the Sunday school movement. It is a force for good in the world, and it is a force for good in the character of our American civilization.

## Increase of Homicides Explained.

Of late years the crime of murder has rapidly increased in the United States. Fifteen years ago there were less than one thousand murders committed annually. Since that time, however, the number has steadily grown from year to year.

In 1880 there were 1,449 murders committed in the United States. During the next twelve months the number of these destructive crimes were still more pronounced. The records for that year show that 2,235 murders were committed, or nearly twice as many as the year before.

Since that time the record has been as follows: 1888, 2,884; 1889, 3,567; 1890, 4,204; 1891, 5,906; 1892, 6,791; 1893, 6,415; 1894, 9,800; 1895, 10,212.

If these figures are correct the number of murders committed in this country during the last fifteen years has far out-traveled the growth of population.

Within five years these murders have doubled in number, while the population of the United States has not doubled in thirty-five or forty years.

What is the reason for this phenomenal increase of murders within the last few years? Perhaps the question has not been answered, at least in a partial sense, by citing the extreme laxity of our immigration laws. Foreigners have been permitted to land in this country without any restrictions whatever, and in

## consequence of this fact, a large percentage of our population is derived from the pauper elements of foreign lands.

Nearly all the crimes committed in New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, St. Louis and other large cities of the continent are directly traceable to this foreign pauper element.

The remedy for this evil has already been provided by congress in a measure which requires that every immigrant who lands in this country shall possess a certain amount of intelligence.

But there is also another reason which partially explains this increase of crime and that is in the failure of our courts of justice to rigidly enforce the law. It is more important that a penalty should be certain than it is that it should be severe; and if a man is satisfied in advance that he will be punished by the law for the crime which he is about to commit he is more than apt to forego the temptation.

It is a matter of extreme importance, therefore, that justice should be certain. As long as the courts refuse to enforce the law there will be a continuance of crime in this country. In order to prevent the commission of crime the sovereignty of the law must be asserted.

It is safe to bet that McKinley is a loser on general principles. His campaign began and ended when Wall street approved the republican plank.

The Hon. H. Clay Evans will observe that it doesn't pay to be a southern republican.

It is said at the east that the populists will carry the south if the democrats endorse free silver. There will be no populists in the south if the Chicago convention nominates a democratic candidate on a democratic platform.

Politicians who are weather-wise are already dropping the gold heresy.

The Springfield Republican says the free coinage democrats will have four delegates from Maine. Well, two, four or all are welcome. There's life in the old land yet, you bet, as Editor Dana would remark.

And little Delaware walks up with three free coinage delegates! Hurrah for the blue hen's chicken!

The New York Journal says the republican financial plank was elegantly endorsed to New York. Why, of course! And Mr. Cleveland wants the democratic party to make a declaration that Wall street will approve.

It is stated that poor Mr. Hobart was born in New Jersey and has lived there all his life. As Hobart is a corporation republican, it is difficult to know whether to extend sympathy to him or to his state. One or the other is tumors.

## EDITORIAL COMMENT.

The smallest candidate for political office in the world resides in Springfield, O. His name is Colonel Joe Lefel, and he wants to be the next republican mayor of the city. Though only forty-five inches high, he has a record in progress for his proportions, he has refused several large offers from shows and museums. His father, one of the pioneers of the western states, placed free silver above every other issue. We are sincerely sorry that this defection has taken place. We do not believe that it in any way threatens party success this fall, but it is unfortunate. Most of the seceders are new men in national affairs, who have made no distinct impression on the public mind.

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## A NAPOLEONIC PARALLEL.

St. Louis Chronicle: On June 18, 1815, the battle of Waterloo, in which the allied forces of Europe whipped Napoleon out of all semblance to a grand monarch, was fought. Today is again June 18th, and again a Napoleon is facing a host of allied forces. Superstitious McKinleyites doubtless see the point, and are afflicted with the trembles.

## JUST FROM GEORGIA.

## De Melon Mighty Sweet.

De new moon gone rouf de graveyard bend,  
 En I hopes dis night dat de worl' won't end,  
 Fer de melon mighty sweet!

Oh, de melon mighty sweet,  
 En de watchman lef he beat:  
 Hilt ain't de right,  
 But hit's dead er night,  
 En de melon mighty sweet!

De rabbit run lak he see a gun,  
 En de gray owl say: "Who's you?"  
 En I say: "Good Lawd, I'm de very one,  
 En dey's no use axin' who!"

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There is no use chasing a rainbow. The little boys have been trying to find that bag of gold at the other end for several centuries past, and they're still at it!

## A Good Many Like Him.

"You were fairly beaten, weren't you?"  
 "Oh, yes!"  
 "Then, why are you contesting the election?"  
 "Just to keep before the people. This is a mighty fearful world, you know."

It is either that literature pays, or the authors who recently sailed for Europe must have done so to escape their creditors.

The "McKinley clear" is on the market already. And so, it will end in smoke, after all.

## And Some Slept on the Floor.

They may talk of Bill McKinley,  
 But his delegates say still  
 He is but a trifling item  
 To their recent hotel bill.

The Chicago hostilities are getting ready to scoop in all the free silver of the national democratic convention.

Atlanta is filling the magazine field, but so far, not with graveyards.

Polk Miller, the original Virginia humorist, is giving a week's holiday in the bathing suit season.

## Got 'Em Mixed.

The crematory in Savannah is very near to the Springfield dairy farm. Recently two Savannah citizens went through the dairy, looking at the cows, etc. Then they noticed the crematory.

"What's that?" said one of them.  
 "That's the crematory," replied his better informed companion.  
 "What do you do with the bodies?"  
 "You fool it," said the reply, "that's where they make the cream!"

## THE ST. LOUIS BOLT.

Chicago Daily News: Senator Teller may be a trifle erratic, but there are no goldbugs in the world who know more.

Chicago Record: It was the first time in the history of the republican party that delegations had walked from a national convention hall, deliberately severing their connection with the party, and leaving which they had affiliated, many of them, for years. The step was not taken in a fit of passion, but was the result of a long deliberation.

Philadelphia Press: The secession from the republican party of Teller and his associates is the logical result of a movement to give a new impetus to the party. He has refused several large offers from shows and museums. His father, one of the pioneers of the western states, placed free silver above every other issue. We are sincerely sorry that this defection has taken place. We do not believe that it in any way threatens party success this fall, but it is unfortunate. Most of the seceders are new men in national affairs, who have made no distinct impression on the public mind.

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## GEORGIA AND MCKINLEY.

Columbus Ledger: The republican party has done just what might have been expected of it. It has declared for a money tender, and it has by the nomination of its candidates sanctioned trusts and combines. It has placed itself in line with its "time honored" principles of centralization of power, of a government as opposed to democracy.

Macon Telegraph: The ticket, in our judgment is a fairly good one, in the character and ability of the men whose names it bears. It is a ticket to ride. He is not a ticket to ride. He is not a ticket to ride.

Albany Herald: The defeat of the McKinley straddlers at St. Louis and the adoption by the convention of a straight-out declaration for gold is but another evidence that the irrepressible conflict is on in earnest, and that the money power, like the people, is not satisfied with half-way measures.

Augusta Chronicle: McKinley is pledged to the protected interests of the United States. His election means his deeper enslavement and with him that of the masses. He has sold himself, but the people will not get so much as a kick for the money power over the tariff barons and the money power.

Sparta Inhamlet: The republican convention has declared for protection and the gold standard. The Chicago convention will declare for the bimetallic standard and a revenue tariff. And on these issues the democracy will sweep the country.

Brunswick Advertiser: Quite a number of the hardpan democratic editors are jubilating over the capture of the McKinley straddlers by the goldbugs. These fellows have sense like other folks. They know that it means democratic success.

Meriwether Vindicator: The lines will be plainly drawn. The issues will be clear cut. It is well. The old democratic money of the constitution of Jefferson, Jackson and the fathers, gold and silver, will be pitted against Shylock's pounds of gold only.

Griffin News: McKinley and Hobart—high tariff, gold standard and corporate—have done the republican party have a more representative ticket. Fitting lead-

ers are they of the robber barons and the Wall street plutocrats.

Ringgold News South: The free silver men are not losing any sleep over the fact that the republican convention at St. Louis declared for gold.

Carroll Free Press: We trust that the democrats will be equally as uncompromising in their platform as the republicans and declare boldly for 16 to 1. Let there be no straddling.

Rome Tribune: The issues are sharply drawn, and there is nothing left for the democrats but to face those issues and meet the enemy front to front. There is no room for dodging.

Sparta Inhamlet: The republicans are going to be led to the Waterloo of their party. They have sinned away their day of grace, and only the day of vengeance is left them.

Cordele Sentinel: This Napoleon will meet his Waterloo when the democratic hosts, with a platform favoring free silver, come up against the free gold.

McDuffie Journal: The ticket can be easily beaten if the free coinage, low tariff men will ignore the selfish leaders of all parties and join hands in a campaign of personal and self-protection.

Rome Georgian: The nominations made by the St. Louis convention infuse new life and hope in the hearts of the national democracy.

Brunswick Advertiser: There is one consolation in the St. Louis convention. It sat down on gag rule Tom Reed and took the stuffing out of his belly-band.

Montezuma Record: Trusts, monopolies and combines will be in clover if the McKinley ticket is elected.

## BOSSISM AT ST. LOUIS.

Chicago Herald: The most notable event of the national convention was the nomination and the fight over the currency plank, was the dramatic turning down of the bosses in the vote to sustain the report of the committee on credentials.

New York Mail and Express: The reign of bossism is over. Its doom is sealed; its knell has been rung, and its own whited sepulcher has been opened to receive its remains. Henceforward we will have leadership—the will of the people carried out by leaders of their own free election, untainted by corruption, unfettered by intimidation.

New York Journal: The national republican committee was dominated by Hanna. The committee on credentials was dominated by Hanna. The committee on the platform was dominated by Hanna. The committee on the currency plank was dominated by Hanna. The committee on the tariff was dominated by Hanna. The committee on the foreign relations was dominated by Hanna. The committee on the domestic relations was dominated by Hanna. The committee on the judiciary was dominated by Hanna. The committee on the military and naval affairs was dominated by Hanna. The committee on the education and labor was dominated by Hanna. The committee on the religion and morality was dominated by Hanna. The committee on the science and art was dominated by Hanna. The committee on the literature and music was dominated by Hanna. The committee on the sports and games was dominated by Hanna. The committee on the amusements and recreation was dominated by Hanna. 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## FIFTH REGIMENT RETURNS HOME

Atlanta Companies Arrived Yesterday at Noon from Griffin

### AND PARADED THE STREETS

Their Tanned Faces Told the Story of Camp Life and Exposure.

### COLONEL CANDLER IS WELL PLEASED

The Fifth Regiment May Visit Washington to Be Present at the Inaugural Ceremonies.

With the blast of bugles and the rattle of drums the Atlanta companies composing the fifth regiment reached this city yesterday afternoon on a special train from Camp Northern.

Camp life was broken at 10 o'clock, and within two hours the trains had been loaded with camp fixtures and the brave soldier boys and traveled a distance of forty miles and were again ready to meet the enemy.

With the Atlanta companies were the Marietta Rifles and the LaGrange Light Guards. The Savannah companies left Griffin yesterday morning, several hours in advance of the fifth regiment.

When the special train bearing the regiment reached the city yesterday afternoon, the companies were met by a large number of citizens, and the companies were taken to the city hall, where they were given a rousing welcome.

Colonel Candler, who is well pleased with the conduct of the regiment, said that the companies were in excellent condition, and that they were well equipped for any emergency.

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## WILL GO TO WASHINGTON.

The Fifth Regiment will probably march through the streets of Washington next March on the occasion of the inaugural ceremony.

Nearly all of the members are anxious to make the trip and have asked Colonel Candler that they be taken as a regiment.

Judge Candler stated to the representatives of the companies yesterday that he would take the regiment provided each company would carry at least forty men and that all men would wear the regulation overcoat.

This proposition has been accepted, and the regiment will doubtless make the trip when the next president is inaugurated in March.

### WILL GO TO THE CAPITAL.

The Fifth Georgia Regiment Will Attend the Inaugural.

The Fifth Georgia Regiment of Infantry will attend the inauguration of the next president of the United States, March 4th, next year.

This was decided at a meeting of the regiment held just before the troops left Griffin for their respective homes. The decision was the result of an idea that has long been talked about among the officers, and which originated with Colonel Candler.

A southern regiment has never before attended the inauguration of a president, and when this fact was presented to Colonel Candler he at once decided that the thing for the Fifth Georgia was to be the first southern regiment to attend an inauguration. A vote was taken on the proposition at the meeting and it was unanimously decided to carry it out. Every company expressed its desire to go and they will begin at once to prepare for the trip.

The whole Fifth will go. It is intended that not one company shall be left behind, and headed by one of the finest bands in the state.

Each company has promised to take not less than forty men, and as there are eleven companies in the regiment, this will make a total of at least four hundred men.

Colonel Candler, who is well pleased with the conduct of the regiment, said that the companies were in excellent condition, and that they were well equipped for any emergency.

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## MR. COLLIER PULLS OUT OF THE RACE

He Will Not Be a Candidate For Mayor This Year.

### WRITES A CARD WITHDRAWING

Mr. Frank Rice Announces That He Will Not Run.

### COLONEL ALBERT HOWEL HOLDS THE FIELD

He Is the Only Candidate for the High Office Now Before the People.

The sensation of yesterday was the announcement that Hon. Charles A. Collier had withdrawn from the race for the mayoralty, leaving the field open to Colonel Albert Howell, who for the past three years has been a member of the board of aldermen.

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## WHAT HAS BECOME OF THAT COTTON?

\$40,000 Loaned to the Eagle and Phoenix on 2,000 Bales.

### RECEIVERS CANNOT FIND IT

### Latest Developments in the Muddle Are Sensational.

JUDGE BIGBY REPLIES TO HIS CRITICS

### Says That No One Would Take the Presidency of the Mills as a Precious Gift.

A new phase in the Eagle & Phoenix receivership complications came to light last night, showing that all of the sensational features of the case have not yet been told, and some who claim to be possessed of inside information insist that the half has not yet been told.

The following telegram was received by the Phoenix last night from Columbus, Ga. (Special.)—In connection with the present Eagle & Phoenix litigation a little matter has arisen which has caused considerable talk. Some time ago the National Bank of the Republic, a New York institution, advanced a loan of \$40,000 to the mills on 2,000 bales of cotton which the mills had in storage.

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## DESERTED THEIR BABY.

INFANT LEFT AT THE HOME FOR THE FRIENDLESS YESTERDAY.

### An Unknown Man and Woman Leave the Baby, Against the Rules of the Institution.

A little fat, chumpy, blue-eyed baby boy was left at the Home for the Friendless yesterday morning under very mysterious circumstances.

The baby was deserted by a man and a woman who drove up to the home in a cab at an early hour yesterday morning for the purpose of depositing the child at the home, and they succeeded in their purpose. They stated that they were from Franklin county and that the baby belonged to a friend.

The matron refused the little citizen admittance because the rules of the institution permit the admission of only those who live in this county. The man, however, the couple left the baby on the porch as they left the building, and drove off rapidly in their carriage.

The mysterious couple, who so unmercifully deserted the little chap, are undoubtedly strangers in this city. They stated that they were from Franklin county, but it is most probable that they came from exactly the other direction. They also stated that the child was not a friend.

The couple left some fine clothes in a basket for the baby, and a little slip of paper on which was written "Earnestly desired that the baby be kept at the home at all hazards."

About 6 o'clock yesterday morning the matron was aroused by a ring at the door which she answered. She found a woman with a baby in her arms, and a man by her side. She stated that she had been told to leave the baby at the home, and that it belonged to a friend of hers in Franklin county.

Colonel Howell having served as alderman during the past three years, this being his second term of service on the same board, only three years intervening between the two terms, his friends have for the past several months considered him as a candidate to succeed Mayor King, the step from the aldermanic board to the mayor's chair being a natural one. Colonel Howell's friends have been confident that he would take this step as the successor to Mayor King.

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


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Woman's beauty, love and devotion rule the world. Grand women; spiritually, morally and physically whose ambition and devotion and influence men to deeds of grandness and heroism. Such women are all-powerful. We'll



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their one object is to get well.  
They have no confidence in the  
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All irregularities, whites, bearing  
down pains, nervousness, headache,  
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Pittsburgh, Pa.**

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tract or parcel of land lying and being in the city of Atlanta, Ga., and described as follows: Commencing on the east side of Capitol avenue 350 feet north from Haywood street and running thence north along the east side of Capitol avenue 150 feet, and extending thence back east, same width as front, 150 feet. Being a portion

city court of Atlanta, Ga., in favor of E. W. Martin and J. C. Thompson, executors of the estate of John H. Thompson, deceased, who said J. M. McConnell and C. H. Austin; a deed having been filed and recorded in the clerk's office of said superior court for the purpose of levy and sale as required by law.

Also, at the same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A certain lot or parcel of land lying and being situated in the city of Atlanta, Ga., fronting 20 feet on the west side of Peachtree street, extending back west same width as from 81 feet, the same being lot No. 46 of the plat of the Georgia Southern & Florida Land Sales property and being part of lands owned by Henry B. Williams, late of the county of Henry, now Fulton county, Georgia, and now known and called (city number) No. 46, was sold by the sheriff of said county upon as the property of Walter G. Witherspoon, executor of the estate of John H. Thompson, deceased, in and to the said court of Atlanta, Ga., in favor of the

Southern Railway, Atlanta and Georgia. Withers: a deed having been filed and recorded in the office of the clerk of the superior court for the purpose of levy and sale as required by law, at the same time and place, as following described property, to-wit: An undivided interest of J. Tye, the defendant, in a certain lot of land, situate in the City lot in ward 4 of the city of Atlanta, Fulton county, Georgia, front one hundred and thirty feet on Alabama street, one hundred and thirty feet on Decatur street, between Gartrell and Decatur streets, the same being improved property, and being the same as described in the 12, 14 and 16 Antoinette street. Levied upon as the property of J. Tye to satisfy a fine of \$100.00, levied by the sheriff of the county in favor of W. Y. Atkinson, governor of the state of Georgia, against W. E. Leland, defendant, in the case of W. E. Leland vs. Atkinson. Also, at the same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: That tract or parcel of land lying and being in the city of Atlanta, Ga., in land lot No. 42, situate in the city of Atlanta, Georgia, being lot No. 42 of the E. E. Row-

son subdivision, and being known in the  
209 Terry street, and fronting on the west  
side of Terry street forty (40) feet and ex-  
tending to the south one hundred (100) feet  
levelled upon as the property of  
John R. Raven, who holds a bond for title, upon  
which the said lot has been sold, and the same  
has been paid, to satisfy a f. fa. issued from  
the clerk of the superior court of the county  
of J. B. Redwine versus the said J. W.  
Raven. Laid by R. B. Lynch, L. C. vs. J. B.  
Redwine, and the following described property to-wit:  
A certain lot in the city of Atlanta in land  
divided into lots by the said J. B. Redwine  
lying on the south side of McDonald street,  
beginning one hundred (100) feet (38) feet  
thence west along McDonald street to the  
south eighty-five (85) feet, thence west  
along the north line of the said McDonald  
(85) feet, thence east along McDonald street  
forty-five (45) feet to beginning point.  
To-wit: The said J. B. Redwine versus the  
said J. W. Raven, and the said J. B. Redwine  
Phillips, garnishee, to satisfy a f. fa. issued  
from the J. P. court, 1023 district G.  
of the county of De Kalb, Georgia, versus the  
said James Phillips, garnishee.

Also, in the same time and place, John F. Gibson, late of the County of Fulton, Georgia, died, leaving a will, in which that tract or parcel of land lying and being situated in the County of Fulton, Georgia, in the district of Fulton county, Georgia, in the settlement known as Reynoldstown, containing one hundred and fifty (200) feet south of Wylly Street, and one hundred and fifty (200) feet east by Walnut street, being the same lot or parcel of land as above described, was devised to the said John F. Gibson, by deed dated September 22, 1892. Leveled upon as the property of John F. Gibson, late of the County of Fulton, Georgia, the J. P. Court, 1422 district, of G. M., in and to the said will of the said John F. Gibson, F. Gibson, Leveled by R. M., Rayner, L. C.

in the Bradley sub-division as No. 3, fronting 60 feet, more or less, and extending back north the same width one hundred and thirty feet, thence south along the property of Walter Leveled upon as the property of A. Rabun superior court in favor of W. I. Ledbetter versus the said M. W. Lowe.

The following described property, to-wit: One lot, situated in the city of Atlanta, Ga., describes as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of the lot owned by Jett, and running thence east along the north side of Neal Street 180 feet, thence south along Holland's lane 201 feet, thence south along the east side of Neal Street 180 feet, to the beginning point, being lots Nos. 7 and 18, as shown on the map of the city of Atlanta, in the Jett property, and the same described to Vincent Davis by W. A. Jett, administrator of the estate of the late John B. Jett, being part of land lot No. 111, in 3rd

police officer as required by law. Property described in *fi fa* levied upon as the property of the defendant, Daniel W. Leavelle, was issued from the city court of Atlanta, Ga., in favor of the United States and Foreign Investment Agency company, which said said Moses W. Hill, at that time and place, the following described property, to-wit: All that tract or parcel of land lying and being in the city of Atlanta, Ga., to-wit: Lot No. 51, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Ga., as shown on the map of the Inman sub-division of May 4, 1882, fronting 50 feet on the south side of Park street, and 100 feet wide, and containing 5,000 square feet, south same width as front 50 10-12 feet on the north side of Park street, and 100 feet wide, levied upon as the property of Daniel W. Leavelle, and the said Daniel W. Leavelle is bound to satisfy a *fi fa* levied upon him by the said United States and Foreign Investment Agency and Banking Company versus the said Daniel W. Leavelle.

Also, at the same time and place, the said Daniel W. Leavelle is bound to satisfy an improved lot known in the plan of the city

of Atlanta as No. 19 Houston street, situated between the city limits and the city and fronting thereon 40 feet and running back 115½ feet. The lot is bounded by Fort St. Bell streets and adjoining property of F. Landrum in 4th ward, landward side.

George M. Leveled upon as the property of P. G. Logan to satisfy a \$1,600 issue of Georgia bonds, dated January 1st, 1878, of George S. May & Co versus the said P. G. Logan, principal, and P. G. C. Campbell, security.

The above described property, to-wit: Two lathes machines (field), one shaving machine, one lathe, one planer, one jointer, three large mill scales, one large grind stone, one Victoria drill press, one four-horse power engine, one eight-horse power engine, one eight-horse steam boiler, one eight-horse steam engine, one forge, 123 more or less roller molds, one gum tub, 155 pillow blocks, 166 ball bearings, one set of saws, one set of all pulleys and belt coupling in build-

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